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- 3. 27 sheets of specification, 5 sheets of claims, 1 sheet of abstract;
- 4. 12 sheets of drawings:
- 5. Information Disclosure Statement, form PTO-1449.

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